



## Vinton Notices for the Week Ending September 25, 2014

1. Fire Prevention Day notice
2. Birthday Book Buddies reminder
3. PTA Halloween Helpers Box Tops

**PLEASE SEE  
TAKE HOME NOTICES BELOW**





To: Vinton Staff  
 From: Jim Palmer  
 Date: September 25, 2014  
 Re: Fire Prevention Day, Thursday, October 09, 2014

Fire Prevention Day at Vinton School will be held on Thursday, October 9, 2014. As in the past, there will be an indoor instructional presentation that lasts about 30 minutes, followed by an outside tour of fire trucks and emergency vehicles.

- In the event of inclement weather, we will proceed with the scheduled fire safety indoor presentation and reschedule the outdoor portion.
- The instructional program for 2014 has a grade-level format, Preschool through grade 4.
- We will use the gym to allow sufficient space.
- The fire truck inspection/demonstration will follow the indoor presentation for each grade level.
- I have done my best to schedule around Specials, Library/Computers and Spanish. If I overlooked something, please be flexible or let me know and we'll try to swap.

Time	Grade	Teachers
9:15-10:15	4th	DeLoreto, Hain, Phelps
9:45-10:45	1st	LeFevre, PW
10:15-11:15	PD, KG, KR	Davis, Gile, Rudge
10:45-11:45	3rd	Csere, Smith, Welch
1:00-2:00	2nd	Bailey, Joyce, Sparks
1:30-2:30	PD & KT	Davis, Toomey

Dilbert

Scott Adams



*Just a reminder!!!!*



## Mansfield School Libraries 2014-15 ***Birthday Book Buddies***

Birthdays are always special to a child. What better way to celebrate the special occasion than donate a book to your library in honor of the birthday child and arrange for a small gift for your students in your child's classroom? Instead of the entire focus of a child's birthday being on sugar-filled cupcakes, the "Birthday Book Buddies" program gives you the chance to make a lasting gift to your school library in a child's name. Children with summer birthdays may choose to celebrate on their half-birthday.

For a donation of \$15, participants may choose a hardcover book from a selection of newly ordered books. We will place a bookplate commemorating the child's birthday and acknowledging the donor inside the book. In addition, the birthday boy/girl will have their picture taken with their book and displayed in the school. They will also be given the opportunity to be the first to borrow the book.

In honor of this special day, your child's classroom will be treated to a small gift basket from an assortment of items. Gifts might include cool bookmarks, unique erasers, special pens, unusual pencils, fun notepads, or other small items and will vary throughout the year.

**Are you a *Birthday Book Buddy*? Support your school library and celebrate a special day all in one program. Last year we had great participation in this program—let's see if we can have even more *Birthday Book Buddies* than we had during the last school year.**

Contact Mrs. Parda at ([vinton\\_media@mansfieldct.org](mailto:vinton_media@mansfieldct.org)) or 860-423-3086 ext. 116 to make arrangements to participate in this program or tear off the bottom section and return it with a check (please make checks payable to the Mansfield Public Schools).

(BBB Program) Please return this portion to Vinton Library: Mrs. Parda

Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # or email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

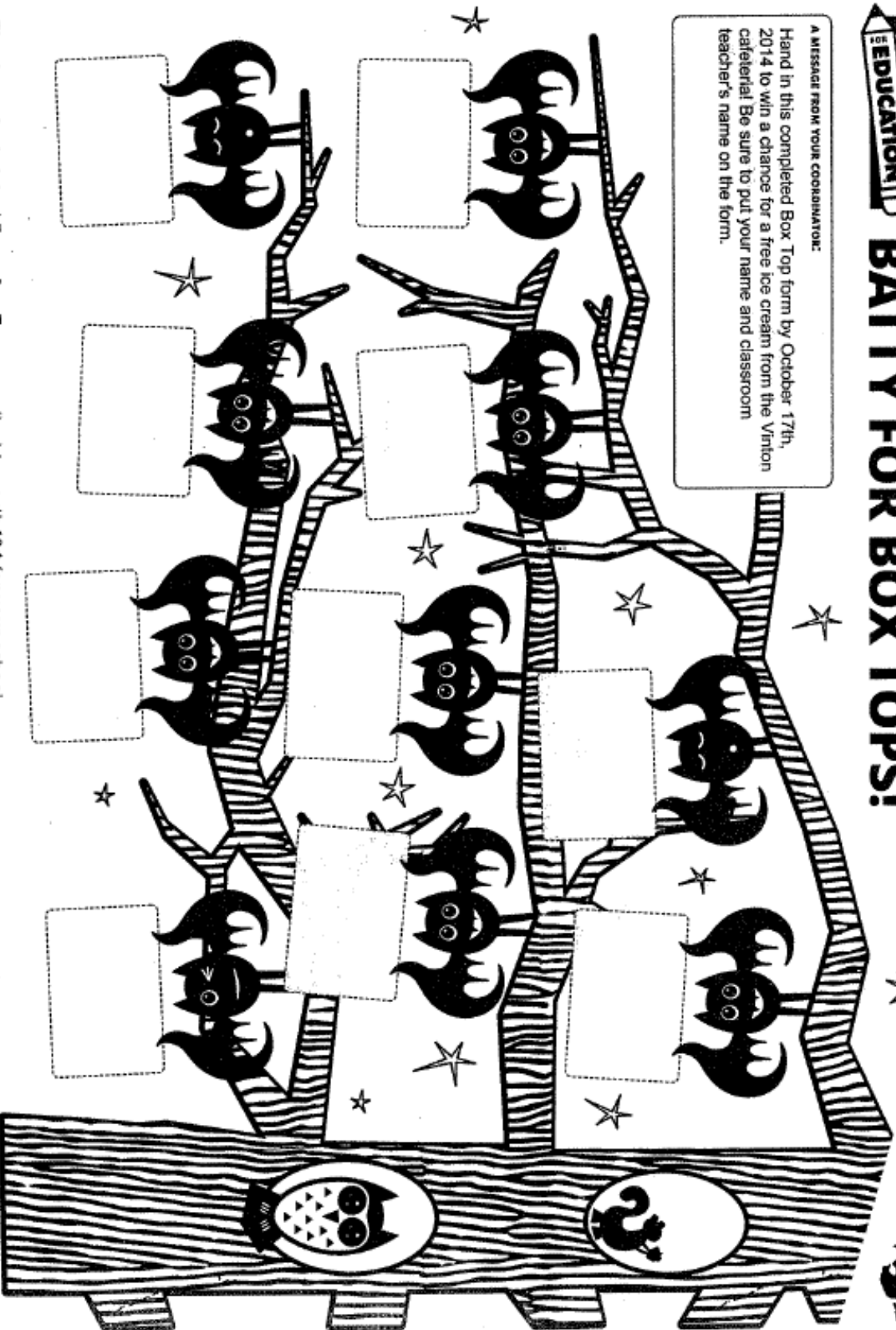


# HALLOWEEN HELPERS ARE BATTY FOR BOX TOPS!



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR COORDINATOR:

Hand in this completed Box Top form by October 17th,  
2014 to win a chance for a free ice cream from the Vinton  
cafeteria! Be sure to put your name and classroom  
teacher's name on the form.



Thank you for helping! Every Box Top you collect is worth 10¢ for your school.  
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